



Payette National Forest 2013 Temporary Jobs Listing

Position Title: Biological Technician, GS-0404-05 (Botany)
Number of Positions: 1
Location: McCall, Idaho
Salary Range: \$15.00/hour
Estimated Start & End Date: June 3, to September 30, 2013
Application Due Date: March 1, 2013
Government Housing Available (Y or N): No
<p>Duties: The position works for the Forest botanist and performs standardized plant inventory and monitoring routines which require a general knowledge of basic biological science and the ability to resolve problems encountered. Keeps detailed records and tabulates data using personal computers and Word/Excel software packages.</p> <p>The position also carries out botany inventories to support project preparation including collection of field data. The position assists in the compilation of data collected. The position involves field work in remote and steep terrain. Work involves plot preparation and maintenance as well as plant collection and preservation. This position may also supervise one other individual on the crew and be responsible for work assignments and safety while working in the field.</p>
<p>Position Requirements: For GS-05: One year of specialized experience equivalent to at least the GS-04 level in the Federal service that is in or related to the duties of this position. Specialized experience may include work as a technician or aid in a research activity or natural resource work, and plant collection and identification. OR Successful completion a full four year course of study leading to a bachelor's degree with At least 6 semester hours, or the equivalent, must have been directly related to the position to be filled. OR A combination of experience and education to meet total experience.</p> <p>Preferred experience includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Botany inventory and monitoring experience.• Greenhouse or planting experience.• Data collection, survey, and documentation experience.• Relevant education, college science courses (e.g., botany, etc).• Specific training and certifications such as Word/Excel, Defensive Driving, Other Forest Service related training, etc.
Link to USAJobs.gov announcement: TEMPOCR-0404-5-PLANTS-DT
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